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Application of: Michael Hutchinson

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MRI DETECTION AND STAGING OF PARKINSON'S DISEASE AND

DETECTION OF PROGRESSIVE SUPRANUCLEAR PALSY

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

It is respectfully requested that the period for filing a response to the final Office Action dated December 22, 2003 be extended by three months, i.e. from March 22, 2004 to June 22, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for the \$475 statutory extension fee for filing a response within the third month pursuant to §1.136(a) by a small entity.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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